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# NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

To Erect Hospital and Woman's Cell in City Jail.

WEDDING CARDS ARE OUT

Important Term of the Corporation Court-Pastor Cridlin Better.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

At a meeting of the Buildings and Lands ommittee last night, that committee practically decided to report favorably the proposition to erect a separate cell for men and to construct a hospital room in the city jall. The report will be made to the Board of Aldermen at he meeting next Tuesday night. The work will probably be completed in a month or

Important Cases.

The case of W. J. Dobbins, Guy Colea Alex. Marshall, all charged with letton in the case of the girl, Bessie s, will be called in the Corporation Tuesday. The three men have been heard in this case under another count already, and have been acquitted. The case of Bessie Jones will also be called. She is charged with per-jury in the same case. The jury for these two cases has been called.

Another case of some importance to go before the grand jury is that of Er-nest Farmer, charged with taking some lead pipe and things from the Southern Joe Goode, a negro charged with crim

hal assault on a young colored girl, will be considered by the grand jury. This term of court will be the most

Want to be Annexed.

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A number of harding members of the City Council said last wight that citizens generally were favorable to the annexation scheme, and realized the advantages to the city by such action. Among those who think it good are Councilmen W. B. Bradley and W. R. Ferguson, The question will be fully discussed at a meeting to be held at some time in the near fullar. at some time in the near future, Approaching Marriage.

Mrs. D. E. Lipscomb, of Woodlawn Heights, has announced the approaching

A. R. Hooker, George E. Gary, J. W. Clary, G. T. Markhan, William B. Ball, A. Royall, J. M. Graves, J. W. Deitrick and Richard Baker (colored).

Personale

Personals and Briefs.

Manchester Council, Modern Puritans will attend a meeting of Richmond Coun

afternoon, for organization, The Board of Aldermen will meet is The Board of Antanasay night,
The revised city ordinances have been
printed and turned over to the city Cards are out announcing the appr

Cards are out announcing the serious ling marriage of Miss Florence Eugenie Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williamson, and Mr. William Mr. Williamson, and of Rrichmond. The marriage No. W. Fourteenth Sureet next Thursday

day.

Foreman Alexander Adams, of the Tide water Quarry, has returned from Nor-folk, where he went to get money to pay the hands. The latter had com-plained to the authorities of Mr., Adams's absence, thinking he was not coming

Prof. Maurice will deliver his address Church, Richmond, next Thursday night. Mr. James F. Bradley has declined to allow his name to be used in connection with the candidacy for the Legislature.

#### MR. FLOOD EXPLAINS.

Minister Wished to Ask Question and Crowd Tried to Prevent.

and Crowd Inted to Frevent.
Congressman H. D. Flood returned yesterday from Buckingham Courthouse, whither he went on Tuesday from Apponantos. Mr. Flood stated hast night that he went to Buckingham because he had a law case there, and that he had no idea of making a political speech when he was called on he responded. He has been in Buckingham ever since.

a majority for senator martin, and a good one.

He explained that the temporary disorder during his speech, which was reported by the press, was due to an interruption or a question by Rev. Mr. Leitch, Arminister and a very estimable gentleman, and the efforts made to prevent the interruption. Mr. Flood stated that he had no objection whatever to the interruption, as he had the highest respect for Mr. Leitch and desired to answer his question. That was all the disorder he knew of, if that could be called disorder. He quieted that and listened to the minister's question.

Doing Fine Business.

Mr. E. T. Mankin, of the Mankin Construction Company, left Thursday for Tampa, Fla. He went in connection with a handsome depot, to be erected at that place for the Seaboard Air Line Railway. From there he will go to Key West, where he is building a large cigar factory for the is building a large cigar factory for the Havana-American Cigar Company, He

Pastor Cridlin Recovers.

They, R, W. Cridlin, who last week was taken quite ill in Portsmouth with acute indigestion, has so far recovered as to be able to preach at the Stockton Street Baptist Church twice to-day.

Rev. Dr. Tyree will preach at both services at Bainbridge Street Church to-day. Revival services will continue all week.

City Sergeant Saunders has summoned



Meeting Declares Citizens Strongly for Annexation.

WILL VOTE TO ISSUE BONDS

Reasons for Desiring to Come Into Richmond Arc Stated.

an enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Barton Heights was held last night at the engine house. The matter of the action of the Council of Richmond in reference to annexation was discussed, and the question was looked upon as settled for the time being. The meeting then esolved itself into a committee of the whole, and talked of matters of importance to the town, and it was felt that at the election on Tuesday the bond ssue of \$15,000 for town improvements ould be voted for unanimously. The sense of the meeting was to go ahead with all effort to bring about the con-icemplated improvements to the town in the way of streets, water, fire protection,

the way of streets, water, fire protection, sewers and all other necessary things. The meeting was largely attended, and after full discusion and mature deliberation it was decided that the annexation to Richmond of the territory in which they lived was desirable for the best interests of all concerned. Those who favored annexation were not influenced solely or mainly by selish considerations. They did not suppose that they could reap any considerable material advantage in the near future from such a measure. They knew that incorporation into the city would bring a probable increase of taxation. But there were larger considerations of which they took account. They felt that it was inconcount. They felt that it was inconprosperity of the noble and historic city in which every loyal Virginian feels an inextinguishable pride. Least of all did they pose as mendicants asking a dole.

Resolution Adopted. Resolution Adopted.

The Rev. Dr. R. H. Pitt offered the following, which was adopted:

"Since that action was taken the general annexation measure, which included Barton Heights, has failed of passage in the Richmond Common Council, and the substitute passed by that body has been recommitted by the Board of Aldermen to the Joint Committee on Ordinance and Charter Reform, Pending its consideration by that committe, we, the citizans tion by that committe, we, the citizen of Barton Heights and Brookland Park reassirm our convictions that our sec-tion ought to be included in the plan of tion ought to be included in the piant annexation. At the same time we have no wish to annoy the governing body of the city by useless importunity. We are at a loss to understand the intense operation of this secsition to the annexation of this sec m. We have a clean, prosperous, pro-essive town. We are sure that the adtion. We have a clean, prosperous, progressive town. We are sure that the addition of our people to the dry would not be a source of weakness, but they would make a real contribution to her civil life. We take honest prifes in the record of our community in the matter of observance of the law. Not since the organization of the town has an offense of serious grade been laid at the door of one of our citizens. Arrests do not average one a year, and in these rare cases the offenses are trivial in character.

### Few Criminals.

The present mayor has been in office ince hast September and has not hel-court during that period. The terri-The present mayor his heet in office since hat September and has not held court during that period. The territory which we represent has in it a large number of eligible sites for homes and for manufactories, which can be bought at reasonable prices. A number of new houses are under erection and others are projected. As a large part of our territory is already highly improved, the taxable values which we would add to the city's resources would be so large as to avoid the imposition of any burden on the city of Richmond. In the light of all these, and many others facts which we need not now recount, a majority of our citizens registered their conviction that it would be useful, both to us and to the city of Richmond for us to be under the same government and working together for the public good.

Heights, has announced the approaching marriage of her daughter, May Conway, to Rev. William Marion Sikes, the weg ding to take place on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at Central M. E. Church.

Rev. Mr. Sikes is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Madison, N. C.

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Vigorous Public Sentiment. Vigorous Public Sentiment.

In the meantime we pledge one another anew to give increased attention to our own affairs, to promote in every way a healthy and vigorous public spirit, to bring the notable advantages of this community in every possible way to the attention of the public, to induce good people to settle among us, and to co-operate with our excellent mayor and council in every measure for the public good. In order that these and smay be better accomplished, we resume our citizens' meetings to be held twice a month for the discussion of matters of common interest.

## IN OLD MECKLENBURG.

Gov. Montague and Mr. Swanson to Meet Under Different Auspices
It was nearly four years ago that Congressman Claude A. Bwanson and Governor Montague held the only joint debate of their terrific canvass for dovernor at Boydton, the county seat of old Mecklenburg county. To-morrow, they will appear in the same courthouse, but under entirely different auspices.
Governor Montague will speak in his own interest for United States senator and Mr. Bwanson will talk of his campaign for Governor.

Both the distinguished gentlemen will reach Boydton to-morrow, and as the meeting has been well advertised, a great crowd of voters is expected.

It is possible that other candidates than the two mentioned may go to Boydton to-morrow, but it is not positively known who they may be. Perhaps Mr. Ellyson and Mr. Cabell may be there. to Meet Under Different Auspices

### EYES ON VIRGINIA

Many Inquiries for Lands and Mineral Properties in State.

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"IT WOULD MAKE A WOMAN'S HEART GO PIT-A-PAT."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch. "THE BOER WAR AGGREGATION IS THE LARGEST AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISE EVER CONCEIVED."

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**Excursion Rales on All Railroads** 

of New York, write that this month they will issue contracts for the erection of a copper smelter and iron turnace in Floyd county to work up the extensive mineral deposits in the county.

H. J. Wilkinson, Grante Falls, Minn., literature about Virginia.

L. Nearing, No. 147 N. Sixteenth Street, Philadelphia, soil and climate in Pledmont and Valley of Virginia.

Thomas Atkinson, Willow City, N. D., farm mear Petersburk.

W. F. Jennison, Sidney, C. B., Novia Scotia, manganese deposit.

Benjamin Baughman, McCauley, W. Va., literature about State.

H. H. Dawn, Green Springs, O., wants farm for live stock.

H. E. Gibbs, No. 108 Broad and Chostnut Streets, Philadelphia, 1,000 acres for cattle and sheep farm.

J. T. Crowler, No. 110 S Street S, E., Minneapolls, Minn.; copper lands.

F. W. Maury, No. 173 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., farm along coast.

#### HOLD PUBLIC MEETINGS. Clay Ward Actives to Hear the

Local Candidates. The Clay Ward Actives held a special session last night and decided to hold a series of public meetings during the municipal campaign in the assembly room of Belvidere Hall.

#### TAYLOR PARDONED.

Montague Had Declined Positive-

ly to Interfere in This Case.
The Siah Board of Pardons recently granted a sharols themse to a nego-named a sharols themse to a nego-named safer, whose is sentently or assaulting year in the pendently for assaulting a regiment conductor. In appointing a radiosa' conductor the Appoination count?

Application for a pardon was made to Governor Moniague, and the Executive promptly and flatly declined to interfere. The board later took up the opplication and granted it under authority conserved by a Apecial statute without any knowledge on the part of the Governor. The Logislature passed a statute at the last session authorizing the board to the the granters regardless of the Governor with the following proceeded to exercise its authority. The Governor had absolutely no knowledge of the grantling of the parole, until the saw the sistement in the papers that the negro had been released.

Accepts Position.

Mr. Frank E. Stacy, of Newport News, after fifteen years of continuous service with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in Richmond, Cincinnati and Newport News, tendered his resignation on yesterday to accept the position of chief clerk to Mr. R. A. Taylor, manager of the Virginia Car Service Association, with headquarters in Richmond, Va.

Mr. Stacy's departure from Newport News is regrated down there by his many friends, especially so as ho is to be married on April 26th to Miss Lella Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Putnam Watkins, of Lynchburg, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Watkins, of this city, and it was expected that his charming wife-to-be would make quite an addition to the society circles of Newport News; but this change of position will make it necessary for the resurg could no reside in Richmond. young couple to reside in R

Monday Evening Euchre Club. Monday Evening Euchre Club.

The Monday Evening Euchre Club met at the hospitable home of Miss Nettle Sheppard, in West Grace Street last Monday evening. Euchre was indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served. The clubwas most charmingly entertained by the hostess, and all rejuctantly departed for home expressing themsolves as more than delighted with the evening's enjoyments. The first lady's prize was captured by Miss Jean Knowles; the gentleman's prize, by Mr. Willie Hopper than the late of the sentence of the senten

Win Heavy Damages.

In Churlottesville yesterday in the Corpora-tion court, in the case of W. L. Leakford vs. Lane Bres., the Jury brought in a verdict of \$5,000 for the plaintiff. Messrs. O'Flaherty and Putton represented Mr. Leakford and Messrs. Duke & Duke and Cabell & Cobell appeared for the defendants.

Mr. Wyatt in Race. Police Officer W. H. Wyatt, Jr., has formally announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for High Constable, subject to the principle of the office faithfully.

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First Order Outlines Policy to be Pursued by Him.

Chief of Police Louis Werner took harge of the office yesterday at noon, and all during the day the office was crowded with friends, who called on him to extend their good wishes. A to extend their good wishes. A large bouquet of white carnations graced his desk, and a hospitable and kindly smile beamed from his good-natured countenance. He qualified before City Clerk Ben T. August early in the day, and then called upon the Mayor. The two chatted for a little while, and the course of the new chief was outlined. This course is hew chief was outlined. This course is clearly set forth in the first communication sent out to the men, and which was read to them at the hours of relief yesterday. Nothing but kind words have been spoken for the new chief by officers and citizens, and he starts out on a career that bids fair to make him a most popular chief of police.

The order, as sent out yesterday, reads as follows:

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"Richmond, Va., April 15, 1905.
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"Notice to Captain,—You will have the following communication read to all members of the department in your respective

bers of the department in your respective districts:
"To the members of the Police Department of the City of Richmond:
"In assuming charge of this department I desire to state that I have that degree of confidence in the integrity and ability of those under me to believe that, under proper guidance, this department can be made the equal of any of its size in the entire country. I know that the rank and file, as well as the officers, are absolutely devoid of fear, of good intelligence and have the best interest of the service at heart.

those whose record is such a testing same.

"I realize that, to attain the highest degree of efficiency in police service, it is absolutely necessary that I have your active support and co-operation, and believe that each and every fleer will take pride in striving to place this department on such a footing as to meet with the approbation of the entire community. "No radical changes will be made, but such changes as I deem necessary for the improvement of the force shall be made from time to time.

(Signed) "LOUIS WERNER, "Chief of Police."

Revival at Grove Avenue.

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During the past week Rev. W. C.
Taylor, D. D., of Petersburg, has been
holding special services at Grove Avennue Baptist Church. The music has
been furnished by a volunteer choir directed by Mr. W. B. West, Mrs. M. H.
Thomas has delighted the audiences with
her beautiful Gospel songs. Dr. Taylor
will preach again to-day, morning and
evening, and at 3:20 in the atternoon will
speak to children only. The music will
be furnished by the Nightingules, the
children's musical organization, trained
by Mrs. Thomas. The services will continue through the week every day at 4
and 8 P. M. Dr. Taylor will continue
preach and Mrs. Thomas will sing.

Gave a Surprise Party.

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A delightful surprise party was given Thursday night in the chome of Mrs. Huel Walker by a number of young indies in honor of Mss Ruth Blunt. Mus c was the chief feature of the evening. Those resent were Misses Oille Arnali, Chrissle Keck, Lucy Smithers, Carol Clary, Pauline Duke, Ione Gregory, Bula Hughes, Wilmer Hughes, Norma Wiltschre, Leria Walker, Ruth Blunt, and eMssrs. R. S. Greenstreet, John Ridgley, E. J Duke, W. White, Lee Bartham, B. Wicker and J. Ayress, and Mr. and Mrs. Huel Walker.

### A "Roaring Farce."

"The District School," presented recently by the Young Ladies' Ald Society of the Third Presbyterian Church, will be repeated at Corcoran Hall to-morrow night, at the request of a large number of persons who could not got in the hall upon the last occasion. The plece is called a "ronring farce," and is taken part in by about thirty well known young people of Church Hill.

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The Boer War Drama to be Given Here Easter Weck.

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the presentation in Richmond of the great Boer War drama-spectacle during Easter week, for two days-Wednesday and Thursday, April 26th and 27th, on the grounds at the head of Broad Street This is the gigantic military spectacle that was the crowning feature of the St. Louis World's Fair, and which is now making its way from winter quarters in New Orleans to Brghton Beach, York, where it will be produced for the

summer season.

The enterprise is undoubtedly the largest amusement production that has ever been moved through the country. It requires three trains to move the 60 men, 35 oltorses, oxen, mules, cannion and all the equipment that goes towards the complete presentation of the battle scenes of the historic Angio-Boar conflict.

However, the intent and the magnitude of this great production, is nothing compared with the wealth of human interest that is contained in the personnel of the men who compose the company. General Plet A. Cronje, the main who brought the British to the realization that the men of the little South African Repuace could fight for home and country, is leading the other 600 warriors, all of whom are veterans, either of the Boar or British armies.

What Is the Boer War?

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The Boer War spectacle is so entirely different from any previous undertuking of a similar nature that misunderstanding is encountered upon every hand. All the terrors of battle and all the display of bravery that forms part of great conflicts between brave men and true, fighting for their rights, is vividly reproduced.

Sell Delinquent Lands. Delinquent Tax Collector T. C. Walford WIVES OF BEEF TRUST advertises in another column of this paper that he will on the first day of May offer for sale all lands delinquent for the non-payment of 1004 taxes.

Persons desiring to avoid the cost of publication will call and settle their taxes with the cost of publication will call and settle their taxes prior to April 18th.

Pastor McDaniel to Speak. Rev. George W. McDaniel to Speak.

Rev. George W. McDaniel will address
the members of the colored Y. M. C. A.
and their friends at True Reformers' Hall
this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and Capthin F. W. Cunningham will sing, accompanied by Mr. Reginald Walker.

Committee Meetings. The following committees are scheduled to meet at the City Hall this week:
Monday, Streets, 5 P. M.; Light, Poor and Health, 8 P. M.
Tuesday, Finance, 8 P. M.
Thursday, Grounds and Buildings, 8 P. M.
Friday, Ordancess, 8 P. M.

## CHOKED WRONG WOMAN AND TROUBLE BEGAN

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 15.—Lizzie Fitzger-ald, said to be of Chicago, was arrested to-day as a witness in the Rathskeller murder in this city a few days ago. Detectives say that the fight when re-sulted in the death of Roy Joyce was the

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# EMPLOYES SUMMONED

(By Associated Fress.)

Chicago, Ill., April 15.—Mrs. Richard W. Howes, wife of the head of the casing department of Swift and Company was summoned before the grand jury today. She would not discuss the nature of the evidence she gave.

Subpoenas have been issued for six women, wives of men employed by various packers. All of these men, it is said, are now in Canada and the subpoenas for their wives have been issued in connection with the alleged disappearance of the husbands. The women are with in the following the said of the said of the assistant secretary of Swift and Company, Mrs. E. A. Allen, whose husband is now with the National Packing Company, was formerly Secretary of the Hammond Packing Company, Mrs. James Brennan, whose husband is a department manager for Swift and Company; Mrs. A. R. Fay, wife of the fraffic manager for Bwift and Company; Mrs. Frank A. Spink, wife of the manager of the National Packing Company; Mrs. Fred Wilbur, wife of the manager of the hide, tallow and casing department of Swift and Company, Mrs. Fry is out of Chicago at present and the subpoena has not been served on her. It could not be learned to night whether any of the subpoenas had been served.

## SOUTH BOSTON, VA.